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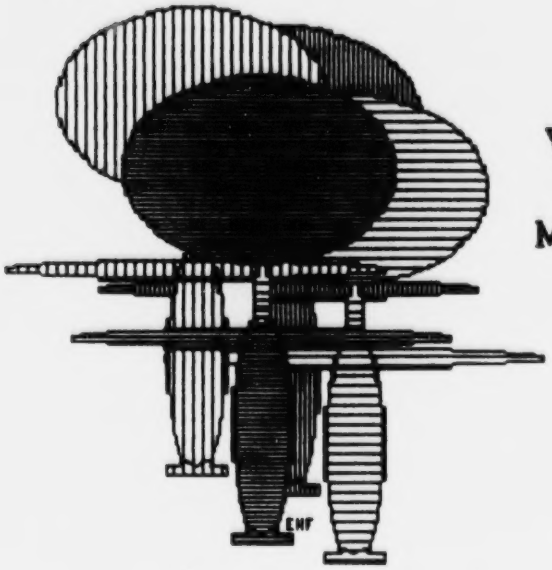

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Women's Studies:
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Bibliography: Women and Sport

The amount of information available on Women's Studies has exploded over the past two decades. As a brief bibliography of texts and local resources, the following cannot be all-inclusive. Entries have been selected for both their significance in each field and for their usefulness in the classroom -- as well as with an eye to price and accessibility. Nearly every individual who contributed to this bibliography had suggestions for more people to contact; every reference invoked others. Rather than using it is a definitive compilation, we suggest you view it as a starting point.

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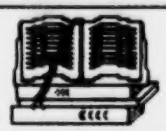

BIBLIOGRAPHIES. Includes teaching guides, sources to find more sources.

Women in Sport: A Guide to Information Sources

Remley, Mary L.
1980; Detroit, MI: Gale Research Co.

Vol. 10 in the Sports, Games, and Pastimes Information Guide Series. Entries indexed by author, title, subject. Annotations provide a sense of contents as well as evaluation. Contents: Reference Works; Biographies; Techniques of Instruction; Periodicals, Films and Other Sources of Information.

BIOGRAPHIES. Individual, collected, or edited first-person narratives.

Chris Evert, First Lady of Tennis

Phillips, Betty Lou
1977; New York: Julian Messner

Chronicles her rise to tennis fame from lessons with her father at age 6 to title "world's top-ranked woman tennis player." Early triumphs as young amateur, move into professional world, success as a money-making tennis player, interspersed with brief glimpses of personal life.

Contributions of Women: Sports

Ryan, Joan
1975; Minneapolis, MN: Dillon Press, Inc.

Brief biographies with career highlights of Babe Didrikson Zaharias, all-around sportswoman; Kathy Kusner, Olympic equestrinne; Wilma Rudolph, Olympic runner; Billie Jean King, tennis star; Peggy Flemming, champion figure skater; Melissa Belot, young swimming champion.

Courting Triumph

Wade, Virginia, with Mary Lou Wallace
1978; New York: Mayflower Books, Inc.

Detailed account of Wade's 1977 win at Wimbledon; tales of her personal life and rise to tennis success. Discussion of her move from spontaneous to more mature, intellectual approach to the game; problems with self-direction; developing the "will to win." A provocative study.

Dorothy Hamill: On and Off the Ice

Hamill, Dorothy, with Elva Clairmont
1983; New York: Alfred A. Knopf

Biography of Dorothy Hamill, highlighting her career as an amateur figure skater, with a final chapter on her introduction into the professional world.

Evonne!: On the Move

Goolagong, Evonne, with Bud Collins
1975; New York: E. P. Dutton & Company, Inc.

Neither a chronological detailing of her life nor an in-depth review of her brief career as a tennis competitor. Rather, it is a personal account of her introduction to the sport, her rise to the top, and ultimately her move into the professional tennis world.

GirlSports

Jacobs, Karen Folger
1978; New York: Bantam Books, Inc.

Edited interviews with 15 young women athletes, ages 9-17, in gymnastics, skateboarding, judo, tennis, rodeo, more. Some are well known, others known in local community. Each knows what it's like to be a girl on a boys' team, to work grueling hours, to compete successfully.

Martina

Navratilova, Martina, with George Vecsey
1985; New York: Fawcett Crest/Ballantine

In addition to telling Navratilova's story, gives intimate portraits of tennis "greats" Billie Jean King, Chris Evert, Rosie Casals, Tracy Austin; and traces her working/coaching relationship with Renee Richards (tennis) and Nancy Lieberman (basketball).

Other Shores

Nyad, Diana
1978; New York: Random House

Personal account of Nyad's record-setting achievements as a marathon swimming champion. Covers in-depth training, sensory deprivation and the almost hypnotic sensation occurring in long-distance swimming. Concludes with details of preparation for swim from Cuba to Florida.

Women Who Win

Sabin, Francene
1975; New York: Dell Publishing Company, Inc.

Brief biographies of 14 women who have been champions, emphasizing the athletic achievements of women in the 60s and 70s who prepared the way for others to succeed. Billie Jean King, Janet Lynn, Cheryl Toussaint, Jenny Bertz, Lynn Genesko, Miki King, more.

BOOKS. Single-author texts.

Equality in Sport for Women

Gesdelmann, Patricia L., Christine Grant, Yvonne Slatton, N. Peggy Burke
1977; Washington, DC: American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation

A manual providing tools for eliminating sex-biased discrimination and inequality in sports. Broad range of information, including: federal regulations; filing complaints; national women's, civil rights and professional groups; court cases; procedures. Appendix of basic info, further resources.

Women Who Win: Exercising Your Rights in Sport

Parkhouse, Bonnie L. and Jackie Lapin
1980; Englewood Cliffs, NJ: Prentice-Hall, Inc.

A yardstick against which to measure programs, and a manual on how to change them. Contents: Exercising Your Rights; Legal Vehicles; Court Decisions; Compliance; Getting Along with the Men's Department; Manage Men(t); Persuading Administration; Laundry List.

Women, Sport & Performance: A Physiological Perspective

Wells, Christine L.
1985; Champaign, IL: Human Kinetics Publishers, Inc.

Contents: Differences Between the Sexes (physical, physiological, performance); Exercise & the Menstruating Woman; Exercise & the Nonmenstruating Woman (pregnancy, menopause); Nutrition, Weight Control & Exercise; Athletic Woman (training, injuries, profile).

COLLECTIONS. Essays and documents, generally reprinted from other sources.

American Woman in Sport, The

Gerber, Ellen W., Jan Felshin, Pearl Berlin, Wyrick
1974; Reading, MA: Addison-Wesley Publishing Company

Part of the Social Significance in Sport Series; interrelationships among sport, culture, society. Limited to women of college age or older. Contents: historical development of sport for women; sportswomen in context of society; psychological dimensions; biophysical factors. Bibliographies.

Her Story in Sport: A Historical Anthology of Women in Sports

Howell, Reet, editor
1982; West Point, NY: Leisure Press

Anthology designed to increase awareness of participation and contribution of women in, and to, sport in Canada and U.S. Historical overview of attitudes, practices. Contents: In the Beginning; Emerging But Active, 1860-1920; On the Road to Equality, 1920-1982; In the Schools; Certain Sports.

Out of the Bleachers: Writings on Women and Sport

Twin, Stephanie L.
1979; Old Westbury, NY: The Feminist Press

Introduced by brief history of women in sports, societal views of women's role. Articles explore contemporary and historical place of women in sports. Sections on physiological aspects and social attitudes; reflections on lives of selected sportswomen; structure of women's sports.

Women and Sport: From Myth to Reality

Oglesby, Carole A.
1978; Philadelphia, PA: Lea & Febiger

Provocative collection of feminist papers, theoretical & practical, on variety of subjects. Brief history plus 13 chapters. Contents: Society & the Female Body; Sexuality; Sport Involvement/Achievement; Women's Sport; Myth, Reality & Social Change. Bibliographies.